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PATENT

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In Re Patent Of: Michael A. Poteet

Examiner: Charles Goodman

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For: Culinary Implement With
Interchangeable Elements

REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF THE RECORD

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450,
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

On October 6, 2006, the Examiner issued a Notice of Allowability for this application, which included an Examiner's Amendment canceling claims 36-39. Applicant gratefully thanks the Examiner for the allowance of the claims in this application. When reviewing the Notice, however, Applicant noted that the Notice erroneously indicated that authorization for the Examiner's Amendment had been provided by Mr. Byron Kuzara in a telephone interview on October 2, 2006. In the interest of accurately preserving the file history record for this application, Applicant wishes to clarify that authorization for the Examiner's Amendment was actually given by the undersigned, Thomas L. Evans (Reg. No. 35,805) in a telephone interview with the Examiner on October 2, 2006.

It is believed that the submission of this Request will correct the prosecution history record for this application without requiring the issuance of a Supplemental Notice of Allowability. If, however, the Examiner believes that a Supplemental Notice of Allowability (or

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other paper) is necessary to correct the file history record for this application, then Applicant respectfully asks that the Examiner issue such a Supplemental Notice.

Respectfully submitted,

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